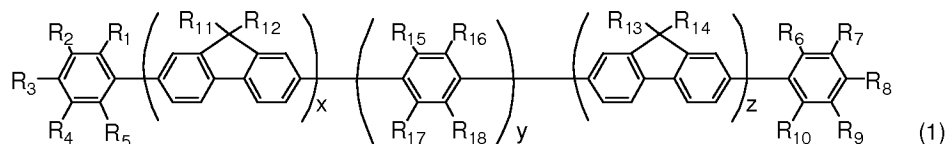


ABSTRACT

An organic compound suitable as a compound for an organic EL device is represented by general formula (1):



wherein x, y and z are an integer of 0 to 3 with $x + z \geq 1$; R_3 , R_8 , R_{15} , R_{16} , R_{17} , and R_{18} are hydrogen or a linear or branched alkyl; R_1 , R_2 , R_4 , R_5 , R_6 , R_7 , R_9 , and R_{10} are hydrogen, a linear or branched alkyl, or a substituted or unsubstituted aryl with at least one being a substituted or unsubstituted aryl; and R_{11} , R_{12} , R_{13} , and R_{14} are hydrogen, a linear or branched alkyl, or a substituted or unsubstituted aryl.